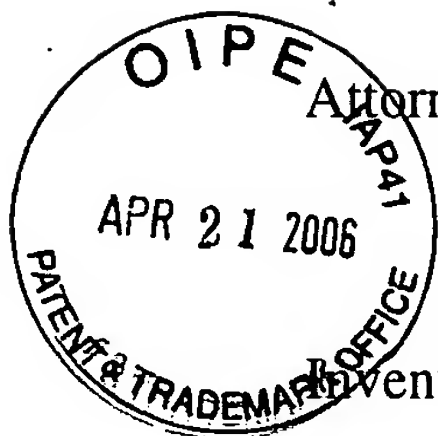


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Column 10, Line 10 reads "a ring an portion for attaching" however it should read "a ring portion for attaching."

Column 11, Line 23 reads "... second cam surface a buffer clamp" however it should read "... second cam surface actuates a buffer clamp"

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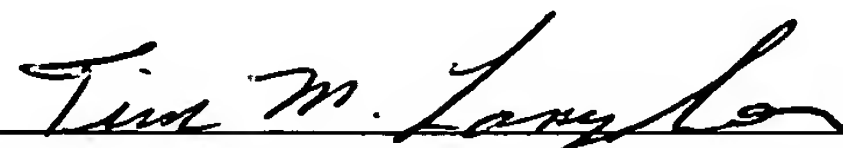
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